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WOMEN'S TRACK
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MISSOULA--

In the final competition on the indoor track schedule, the University of Montana women's team will travel to Moscow, Idaho for the Idaho All-Comers meet next Saturday, March 3. Teams from the North-Central Region, which include schools in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Montana, will be participating.

At an all-comers meet, the individual places and team scores are not kept. The meet enables a team to evaluate their competition, which they will be matched against during the outdoor season. Also it gives the squad a chance to measure their own development. "We go to see if we've progressed. We continue to try to progress," said head coach Will Cheesman.

Last weekend, Montana was in Idaho for another all-comers meet. The Grizzlies showed that they have progressed by breaking five school records and typing two.

Freshman, Brigitte Baker cut more than a minute off the 3000-meter record with a time of 10:44.1.

In intermediate hurdles, Kathy Reidy, of Missoula, crossed the finish line in 47.4 seconds, compared to the old record of 51.91.

A team of four Grizzlies, including Linda Wilson, Netta Kohler, Kathy Tucker, and Vicki Roys, shaved seconds off the 1600-meter relay timing of 4:19.9 by finishing with a time of 4:08.7.

1978 National Qualifier, Sally Newberry broke the shot put record with a throw of 43.1.

In a new event, the 200-meter run, Linda Wilson turned in an impressive time of 26.1 seconds.

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Montana tied two school records. Kathy Reidy finished with 9.1 in the 55-meter hurdles while Rachel Waterfield tied the old record of 5 feet in the high jump event.

With the Idaho meet being the last indoor meet, Cheesman and the girls are anxious to get outside to start preparing for the outdoor meets. "Mother Nature dictates around here," said Cheesman. The Grizzlies have been able to practice outside some but not on a regular basis.

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